1 The Honorable Marsha J. Pechman 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON 9 10 MASTER CASE NO. C09-037 MJP IN RE WASHINGTON MUTUAL 11 MORTGAGE BACKED SECURITIES **ORDER GRANTING DEFENDANTS'** LITIGATION, 12 MOTION TO SEAL This Document Relates to: ALL CASES 13 14 THIS MATTER came before the Court on Defendants' Motion to Seal, dated 15 April 25, 2012. (Dkt. No. 404.) The Court has considered Defendants' motion and any 16 response thereto, and having been fully advised in these matters, now, therefore: 17 The Court HEREBY FINDS Defendants have shown good cause to seal in their 18 entirety: 19 • Exhibits 6 and 7 to the April 25, 2012 Declaration of J. Wesley Earnhardt in 20 Support of Defendants' Motion to Exclude the Proffered Expert Testimony of 21 Charles D. Cowan and Ira Holt. 22 The above documents disclose information that is subject to protection under 23 Federal law and the Stipulated Protective Order and Stipulated Order Regarding the 24 "Clawback" of Documents the Court entered in this matter (Dkt. 213), and the interests of 25 Order Granting Defendants' Motion to Seal: (CV09-037 MJP) 1

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preserving the privacy of that information outweigh the public's interest in reviewing that material. IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the materials indicated above shall be sealed by the Clerk of the Court under Local Rule 5(g). DATED this 5th day of June, 2012. Maesluf Helens Marsha J. Pechman United States District Judge